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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **Miller et al.**

Serial No.: **09/863,979**

Filed: **May 23, 2001**

For: **Method and Apparatus for
Deposition of Porous Silica Dielectrics**

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In response to the Office Action dated October 4, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows: